NOTICE OF MEETING City Independent Ethics Commission

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Wednesday, November 16, 2016 at 9:00 AM
City Administration Building
30 S. Nevada Avenue, Suite 501 – Conference Room 1
Colorado Springs, CO 80903

AGENDA

1. Open Session:

- a. Approval of the Minutes of the Independent Ethics Commission meeting held on October 3, 2016.
- 2. Status update on proposed revisions to the Code of Ethics.
- 3. Status update on Colorado State Independent Ethics Commission's draft position statement addressing home rule entities.

4. Closed Executive Session:

In accord with the City Charter Art. III, § 3-60(d) and its incorporated Colorado Open Meetings Act, § 24-6-402(4)(b),(c) and (g), C.R.S., the Independent Ethics Commission, in Open Session, is to determine whether it will hold a Closed Executive Session to discuss Formal Ethics Complaint No. 2016-02. The issues to be discussed involve matters required to be kept confidential by federal or state law or rules and regulations, information protected by deliberative process, and conferences with an attorney for the local public body for the purpose of receiving legal advice. The statutes or rules that are the basis for confidentiality include City Code §1.3.103.L; Independent Ethics Commission Rules of Procedure 7.0, C.R.S. § 24-72-204(3)(a)(IV)(privileged information); C.R.S. § 24-72-204(3)(a)(XIII)(deliberative process); City Charter Art. III, § 3-60(d) and its incorporated Colorado Open Meetings Act, § 24-6-402(4)(b),(c) and (g); and Article XXIX Section 5(3)(b) of the Colorado Constitution.

Upon proper motion, the Independent Ethics Commission Chair shall poll the members of the Commission, and, upon consent of at least two-thirds of the members present, may hold a Closed Executive Session. If consent to the Closed Executive Session is not given, the items may be discussed in Open Session or withdrawn from consideration.